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### **Press Advisory**

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**MARINE CORPS BASE CAMP LEJEUNE, N.C.** – Seaman Edwin Gonzalez, 22, of North Miami Beach, Fla., died Oct. 8, as a result of a hostile incident while supporting combat operations in Helmand province, Afghanistan.

Gonzalez was a corpsman assigned to 1st Battalion, 8th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 2, I Marine Expeditionary Force Forward. He joined the Navy in April 2007 and was promoted to seaman March 9, 2010.

His awards include the National Defense Service Medal.

He is survived by his wife.

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